



SEEKING INFORMATION

INVESTIGATION OF SUSPICIOUS PACKAGES

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Exterior of one of the suspicious packages. Addresses have been removed to protect privacy.

CAUTION

The Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and its law enforcement partners are seeking the public's assistance in identifying the individual or individuals responsible for creating and sending numerous suspicious packages to multiple locations across the United States. The packages were mailed in manila envelopes with bubble wrap interior, and were affixed with computer-printed address labels and six Forever stamps. They had a return address of "DEBBIE WASSERMAN SHULTZ" [sic] in Florida. The packages, which are all similar in appearance and contain potentially destructive devices, are being sent for analysis at the FBI Laboratory in Quantico, Virginia.

It is possible that additional packages were mailed to other locations. The FBI advises the public to remain vigilant and not touch, move, or handle similar-looking packages, or any suspicious or unknown packages; call 911 or contact your local law enforcement agency. The FBI will continue to work with our federal law enforcement partners at the United States Secret Service, United States Postal Inspection Service, and Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, as well as our other federal, state, and local law enforcement partners, to identify and arrest the person or people responsible for sending these packages.

If you have information about these packages, please contact the FBI at 1-800-CALL-FBI (1-800-225-5324). If you observe any suspicious activity that requires an immediate response, please call 911 or contact your local law enforcement agency. You may also contact your local FBI office, the nearest American Embassy or Consulate, or you can submit a tip online at tips.fbi.gov. Tipsters may remain anonymous.

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